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In re Application of:

KAZUHIRO NOGUCHI, ET AL.



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Docket No.: 865.4346 CIP

Application No.: 09/844,274

Examiner: Unassigned

Filed: April 30, 2001

Group Art Unit: Unassigned

For: VARIABLE MAGNIFICATION LENS HAVING  
IMAGE STABILIZING FUNCTION

Date: May 24, 2001

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	28	MINUS	20	= 8	x \$ 9 \$18	\$144.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	10	MINUS	8	= 2	x \$40 \$80	\$160.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$135°/\$270						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$304.00

\*Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

A check in the amount of \$304.00 is enclosed.

Charge \$        to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

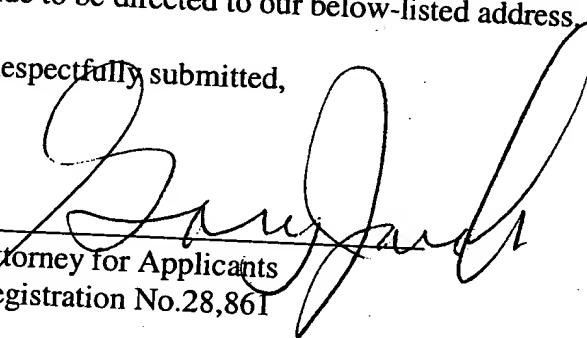
Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$        to cover the fee for a        month extension is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$        to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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